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**FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS****CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS**

TITLE 8: Chapter 4, Subchapter 7, Article 10, Section 3385
of the General Industry Safety Orders

Update of National Consensus Standard Reference for Protective Footwear

**MODIFICATIONS AND RESPONSE TO COMMENTS RESULTING FROM
THE 45-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

There are no modifications to the information contained in the Initial Statement of Reasons.

Summary and Response to Oral and Written Comments:

I. Written Comments

Mr. Christopher Lee, Acting Regional Administrator, Region IX, U.S. Department of Labor,
Occupational Safety and Health Administration, by letter dated October 2, 2006.

Comment:

Mr. Lee stated that the proposed standard provides protection at least as effective as the federal standard.

Response:

The Board thanks Mr. Lee for his comment and participation in the Board's rulemaking process.

II. Oral Comments

There were no oral comments received at the October 19, 2006, public hearing in Oakland, California.

ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS RELIED UPON

None.

ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

None.

DETERMINATION OF MANDATE

This standard does not impose a mandate on local agencies or school districts as indicated in the Initial Statement of Reasons.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED

The Board invited interested persons to present statements or arguments with respect to alternatives to the proposed regulation. No alternative considered by the Board would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the action is proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the adopted action.